In the Supreme Court of the State of Alaska

In the Matter of the Estate of Dorcas Neakok & Warren H. Neakok,& Lilly Anniskett Personal Representative, Appellant,

v.

Marie Tracey, an Interested Party, Appellee.

Supreme Court No. S-17398

Order Returning Appellant's Brief

Date of Order: 5/29/2020

Trial Court Case No. 2BA-10-00041PR, 2BA-10-00042PR

Appellant's brief, filed on 5/22/2020, is returned for correction, based on the following reasons specified by the law clerk who reviewed the brief and excerpt for technical compliance with Appellate Rules 210 and 212.

The original and one copy of the corrected brief, and the excerpt, with proof of service, are due on or before 6/8/2020. Appellant shall also email .pdf versions of the corrected brief and excerpt to Mjohnson@akcourts.us and pleadings@akcourts.us. There is no due date set for the Appellee's brief.

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Appellant's brief is **REJECTED** because it does not comply with the requirements of Appellate Rule 212. In addition, appellant failed to submit an excerpt of record as required by Appellate Rule 210(c).

a. Every statement of fact in the brief must be followed by a citation to the page in the record that shows the fact is true. AR 212(c)(1) and (c)(8). The brief has factual assertions that are not supported by citations to the record. For example, nearly every sentence in the Facts and Procedural History sections are statements of fact. There is no citation to the record supporting any of these statements.

For each factual assertion, appellant may cite either to the record itself, or to her excerpt of record. The record is the actual superior court file. The pages of the record have been numbered and it is currently located in the appellate clerk's office in Anchorage. Appellant may cite to these page numbers to support her factual assertions (R.).

Alternatively, appellant may cite to her excerpt of record (Exc. __). The excerpt of record is a separate document from the brief, with a separate cover. The excerpt contains copies of documents that are found in the record, that is, documents that were before the superior court. Appellant should review Appellate Rule 210(c) which states what documents are required to be contained in the excerpt. The Clerk's Instructions for Preparation of Excerpts provide additional helpful information.